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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Form 5 obligations may continue.

See Instruction

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

See Instruction 30(n) of the Investment Compa

1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Clast Clas	ELLER TIMOTHY R			Symbol CENTEX CORP [CTX]					Issuer				
Common Stock (1) Common Stock (2) Common Stock (3) Common Stock (4) Common Stock (4) Common Stock (1) Common Stoc	C/O CENTEX CORPORATION, 2728 N.			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)					_X_ Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Ye	· ·									Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
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17 6/15		Stock	04/01/2008			F	84,634	D		45,966 <u>(2)</u>	D		
										12,645	I	•	

By Family

Partnership

Limited

164,800 (4)

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	ionNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	int of	Derivative	J
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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
ELLER TIMOTHY R C/O CENTEX CORPORATION 2728 N. HARWOOD DALLAS, TX 75201	X		Chief Executive Officer					

Signatures

/s/James R. Peacock III as attorney-in-fact for Timothy R. 04/02/2008 Eller **Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Payment of tax liability associated with vesting of restricted stock by withholding securities.
- (2) Reflects the issuance of 151,336 shares in connection with the distribution of a like number of vested restricted stock units (net of taxes).
- (3) Payment of tax liability associated with distribution of restricted stock units by withholding securities.
- These shares are owned directly by Granite Springs, Ltd., a limited partnership. The reporting person is (a) a general partner of such partnership, (b) trustee and a beneficiary of the T. Eller 2006 GRAT, a trust, which owns a limited partnership interest in such partnership, and (c) the spouse of a trustee and a beneficiary of the K. Eller 2006 GRAT, a trust, which also owns a limited partnership interest in such partnership.

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